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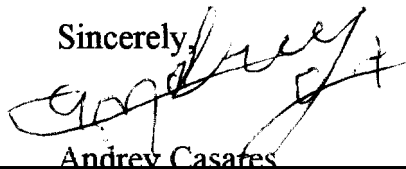
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**"In the Matter of Closed Captioning and Video Description of
Video Programming (FCC 95-484)".**

I am writing to express that all TV, CABLE, AND VIDEO programming should be 100% closed captioned. I believe that closed captioning on all media programs is very educational to the deaf people and people who are learning a second language, English. Closed captioning really helps me to improve my reading and writing!

It happened to me several times when my hearing friends told me that the video tape of a movie was very good and I should see it soon. So, I rented a video tape of a movie and found that there was no closed captioning. I was very upset because I can not understand what the movie is about and be able to share or discuss it with my hearing friends. It is very frustrating for me. So, I really want to see all media programs and videos to be 100% closed captioned.

Sincerely,



Andrey Casates

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Sincerely,

Jackie Batista

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I am writing to express that all TV, VIDEO, AND CABLE programming should be 100% closed captioned. I am a learner of a second language, English, and I feel that closed captioning is very important to me. My English and reading skills have improved since I watched the TV programs with closed captioning. I am still not satisfied because there are several TV, video, and cable programs that don't have closed captioning. So, please make sure that all media programs to be 100% closed captioned in the future.

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Please try to imagine that you are deaf and you find that there was no closed captioning on your favorite TV program. How would you feel that you have no idea what the characters were saying on TV program? Please try to understand our needs.

Sincerely,



Oscar Gomez

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I am writing to express that all TV, CABLE, AND VIDEO programming should be 100% closed captioned. My hearing friend told me that he felt frustrated with me because I always asked him to explain to me what the news man said. I realize that I depend on him too much and it is not fair for him to be an interpreter for me all the times. I am not happy about it. So, I want to have 100% CLOSED CAPTIONING on all TV, CABLE, AND VIDEO programming and it will make me and my hearing friend to be happy!

Sincerely,

Shirley ANN Bostic

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Jude Parfait

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Dear Mr. Secretary,

Speaking for myself as a person who is deaf. Closed captioning has enriched my life by allowing me to visually access information. When captioning is not provided, I am excluded (by reason of my disability) from that information.

I commend Congress in their support of the Telecommunication Act (FCC 95-484). Closed Captioning and Video Description of Video Programming is a benefit to everyone. I am asking that you consider having all programming captioned. It is frustrating when I am excluded from a program in which I have an interest. I do not feel someone else should determined what "class" of program I would be allowed to have access.

Thank you for considering my request and looking forward to having access to all the information that everyone else has.

Sincerely,

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Thank you for considering my request and I look forward to having access to all the information that everyone else has.

Sincerely,

Sandy C. Duncan
State Coordinator
for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

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KATHERINE SENFT
231 ROCKDALE AVE
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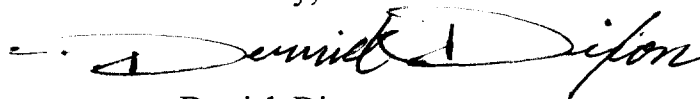
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On channel 72, there was GED (General Education Diploma) on cable program and I was very disappointed that there was no closed captioning. This program seems interesting and I really want to learn something from GED program. I feel that it is not fair when the GED program is for everybody to learn something related to education and I don't get the opportunity like everybody because of no closed captioning. I feel that education is very important to me. Please don't destroy my motivation to be educated because of no closed captioning on GED program.

Sincerely,



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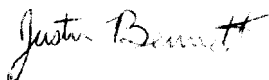
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To the FCC:

I am a student at The Learning Center for Deaf Children in
Framingham, Massachusetts.

Captioning is important. It helps me read and understand movies
and shows. Sports and news have captioning. We need all shows to
be captioned. My younger brother is Deaf and he is starting to learn
more words, reading and using the T.V. with captioning!

Sincerely,



Justin Bennett
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